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AB PURPOSE: To increase safety when cipher is carried out with a password as a key by providing a different key to a person individually.

CONSTITUTION: A card is put into a reader 13 to read a cipher recorded on the card. The cipher are fed to a register 14. Then an operator feeds a password through a keyboard 1. The keyboard input performs the cipher with the ***password*** ***used*** as a ***key***. Thus a cipher sentence is produced and fed to a register 15. A comparator 16 compares the contents of the register 14 with those of the register 15. When the coincidence is obtained from this comparison, the confirmation of the corresponding person is possible and displayed at a display part 17.